



Château Carbonnieux

Grand Cru Classé Red

Pessac-Léognan



HISTORY OF THE PROPERTY

Founded by the Benedictine monks of Bordeaux's Holy Cross abbey in the 13th century, Château Carbonnieux is among the oldest estates in the Bordeaux region. In 1956, Marc Perrin acquired and restored this château bathed in history, which definitively earned the title of Cru Classé in 1959. Antony Perrin, his son, continued the aesthetic and technical improvements and gave this wine an international reputation. Today Eric and Philibert, his children, manage the family property. The vineyard for Château Carbonnieux's red wine is planted on a fine, naturally-drained gravel outcrop. Situated in the heart of the Pessac-Léognan appellation, this prestigious terroir is remarkable for its structure and the diversity of its soils.

VINEYARD

Soil: Deep gravel and clay

Surface: 50 hectares

Age of vines: 27 years

Grape Varieties: 55% Cabernet Sauvignon, 35% Merlot, 5% Cabernet Franc, 5% Petit Verdot.



PRODUCTION OF THE WINE

Harvest: manual

Winemaking: Maceration during 3 to 4 weeks in temperature-controlled stainless steel tanks.

Ageing: during 15 to 18 months (35 to 40% new oak).